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TAGS: OREP (WIGGINS, CHARLES E.)

SUBJECT: CODEL WIGGINS

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1. CONGRESSMAN WIGGINS' 27-HOUR STAY IN SANTIAGO AUGUST 19-20, WAS INTENDED PRIMARILY TO OBTAIN INFORMATION CONCERNING PAROLE PROGRAM FOR CHILEAN DETAINEES. DURING LENGHY BRIEFING BY EMBASSY OFFICIALS, CONGRESSMAN TOOK EXTENSIVE NOTES AND ASKED DETAILED QUESTIONS ON ALL PHASES OF PROGRAM. HE APPEARED TO BE PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS WHO COULD EVENTUALLY COME TO UNITED STATES, WHAT TYPE OF PEOPLE THEY ARE, AND HOW GOOD SECURITY SCREENING PROCEDURES ARE. HE SUBSEQUENTLY MET WITH TOP TWO ICEM OFFICIALS IN SANTIAGO AND WENT OVER MUCH OF SAME GROUND.

2. CONGRESSMAN ALSO RECEIVED BRIEFINGS BY EMBOFFS ON PROTECTION AND WELFARE ACTIVITIES RELATED TO INCARCERATED US CITIZENS, AND DRUG TRAFFICKING SITUATION HERE, AS WELL AS GENERAL CHILEAN POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC SITUATION.

3. AT SMALL INFORMAL DINNER AUGUST 19 AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE, CONGRESSMAN MET WITH THE THIRD-RANKING OFFICER OF FOREIGN MINISTRY ACTING UNSEC ILLANES AND WITH A SENIOR CHILEAN REPRESENTATIVE TO UNGA WHO HAS ALSO REPRESENTED CHILE IN UNHRC DELIBERATIONS (SERGIO DIEZ). CONGRESSMAN TOOK OCCASION TO NOTE DISAPPOINTMENT IN US OVER GOC DECISION TO PROHIBIT ENTRY OF

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UNHRC INVESTIGATING GROUP AND TO EXPLAIN UNFAVORABLE IMPACT

OF GOC'S RESTRICTIONS ON NORMAL CHILEAN FREEDOMS.  
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